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FYI, some of you may have heard on KUOW yesterday morning this piece on the Tribal Canoe Journey and water quality monitoring. NWIFC is supporting the monitoring through a LO subaward.

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KUOW posted [an article and video](#) featuring this year's Tribal Canoe Journey and United States Geological : Grossman has been working with Northwest tribes for several years to collect water quality data during the collection equipment is attached to the back of canoes and information is collected as the canoes travel th

From the article, Ben Parker, of the Squaxin Island Tribe:

Ben Parker is a young member of the Squaxin Island Tribe who worked with Grossman to collect the broad shoulders and has been on canoe journeys for four years in a row, but his fellow paddlers stil

"They ask me why in the hell I'm dragging a bucket under the back of the canoe," he says referring t

Parker says melding science with the traditional canoe journey is valuable.

"I think there are certain ways that we've always seen how the planet and how the land here works perspective, which is good because there's lots of ways we can look how to tackle these kinds of pr that kind of thing."

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